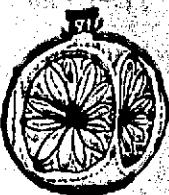




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40 Blind and Ailing Cross to Bethlehem

JERUSALEM (AP) — Forty blind or ailing persons were the first Christmas pilgrims to cross today from Israel into Jordan for the journey to Bethlehem.

Almost without formalities, the afflicted crossed the armistice line at the Mandelbaum Gate and walked about 200 yards across no man's land to the Jordan side of the barbed-wire-lined border. Then they entered Jerusalem's Old City section en route to the town of Christ's birth in the Judean Hills.

For others who got Israeli and Jordanian permits for the pilgrimage, the procedure was more complicated. But with Arab-Israeli tension at a low ebb, all went smoothly and there was more than one friendly smile between guards on opposite sides of the border.

Each pilgrim was allowed to take one Jordan dinar — equivalent to \$2.80 — for travel expenses. This amount had been given them for Israeli currency by Israeli officials earlier.

About 1,700 Israeli citizens are expected to cross over this Christmas — most of them Christians. Others making the pilgrimage are clergymen, temporary Israeli residents with foreign passports, consular and diplomatic personnel and U. N. officials.

Block Gutted by Fire in Pittsburgh

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Nearly 100 persons of suburban Rankin face a bleak Christmas in the wake of a fire which struck a four-block area in the community of 6,700 about eight miles east of midtown Pittsburgh.

Yesterday's blaze caused damage which Fire Chief Jack Blazquez said will top one million dollars.

Two persons, one a woman whose home was damaged, and the other, an auxiliary policeman on emergency duty, died of heart attacks.

Christmas trees and presents went up in smoke as the wind-whipped fire roared out of control for nearly four hours after the

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Japs Expel Several 'Ranking' Americans

TOKYO (AP) — Japanese police said today that 852 foreign civilians, plus "several high-ranking" American and other diplomats and U.S. military officers have been "blacklisted for misconduct." A spokesman said their expulsion from Japan would be sought.

Chief Toji Nakagawa of the National Police Criminal Board told newsmen a blacklist of 852 foreign businessmen and missionaries has been sent to airports, port officials and the Justice Ministry in the hope that deportation action will start in 1958.

He said the list includes 60 Americans but would not disclose names or any details.

Best Christmas for This GI and His Wife

AUGUSTA, Ga. (UP) — A young Army private and his wife are enjoying the best Christmas present they ever had today, a day ahead of time.

The gift is their own 9-month-old son, Doug, flown across the nation to their waiting arms through the generosity of two newspapers and two air lines.

"I'm promising him now — I'll never leave him again. Not even with a baby sitter," said Vickie Heywood, smiling through tears of joy.

Her husband, Douglas, 26, agreed as he stroked the cheek of the infant they hadn't seen for nearly eight weeks.

Their one-room apartment was gay with decorations. A Christmas tree stood in a corner and under it were gifts for baby, mother and father — all provided by the Augusta Elks Club.

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New York Ban on Housing Discrimination

NEW YORK (AP) — A new law that will make New York the first city in the nation to ban discrimination in private housing has received final approval of the Board of Estimate.

The board, the city's top policy-making group, approved the bill unanimously yesterday and it needs only Mayor Robert Wagner's signature to become law. He has supported it since it was introduced.

Effective April 1, the law will forbid discrimination because of race, creed or national origin in all private housing except one- and two-family houses in developments of less than 10 units.

It was the subject of long and violent debate, with real estate interests calling it "elusive . . . ill-advised . . . unenforceable . . . and a complete denial of traditional American property rights."

The final bill is without its original penalty provision, providing fines up to \$500. Instead, it provides mediation of complaints, a review board and possible court action by the city.

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TERMITES SPOIL HOLIDAY

HOLLYWOOD (UP) — Actress Peggy Webber, her husband and their two small children will spend Christmas in a motel. They sold their house several days ago and were ready to move into another home when it was found termites had moved in first. They couldn't move back to their old house, and the deal on the second one has been cancelled. "And we're not going to find another house on such short notice," she said.

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Bells Will Not Toll
in Italian Town

MUSIO, Italy (AP) — The church bells will not toll their customary Christmas salute tomorrow in this north Italian village.

The bells were taken to a neighboring village for safekeeping after landslides caused by heavy rains cracked walls of the church and most houses.

Thirty of the hamlet's 100 inhabitants also have moved out, fearing that spring rains may cause more slides.

Sputnik Takes Christ's Place in E. Germany

By SEYMOUR TOPPING

BERLIN (AP) — The Red rulers of East Germany have put Sputnik in place of the Christ child as the symbol of Christmas celebration.

Models of the Russian earth satellite reign over the traditional Christmas fairs throughout the German puppet state. Children thronging the colorful fairs see no hint of the season's religious theme.

The East German citizen who obeys his commissar will decorate his Christmas tree with Sputniks bearing Red stars and gold hamsters and sickles. His children will hear old German tales of fairies and witches, but not the story of the Nativity.

Christmas comes this year to the 18 million people of East Germany amid a sharpened struggle between the Stalinist regime and the Evangelical Lutheran Church.

Millions will certainly ignore the urgings of the Communists and celebrate Christmas in the Christian way. In many rural areas church attendance is expected to be as high as 90 per cent.

The Super-Constellation had taken off at 10 a.m. At the time it disappeared it apparently was circling Oahu for a landing at Barbers Point.

Weather conditions were reported.

Only 4 of 23 Survive Crash of Navy Plane

HONOLULU (AP) — Four survivors from the 23-man crew of a Navy Super Constellation radar plane that was ditched off Oahu island were rescued today.

Search vessels probing the turbulent sea recovered two bodies. The search for additional survivors intensified.

An armada of surface craft and rescue planes raced to the area after the plane went down 25 miles north of Oahu last night.

HONOLULU (AP) — A Navy radar plane with 24 men aboard disappeared last night in the Pacific just 25 miles north of Oahu Island, where it was based.

The six officers and 18 enlisted men aboard the four-engine Super Constellation were believed lost. An armada of surface craft and rescue planes failed to find a trace of the plane.

The 7½ million-dollar plane, equipped with electronics and radar gear, last checked in at 3:50 p.m. when it was 100 miles northeast of Oahu on a routine training flight.

Later, radar screens picked it up only 25 miles north of Oahu. Suddenly it dropped off the screens.

Early reports of radio contact with a literate and flare sightings appeared erroneous.

The plane was attached to an aircraft early warning wing based at Barbers Point Naval Air Station on Oahu. It was the first accident in two years involving an aircraft early warning plane.

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Bennett Aims Big Gun at NAACP Group

By JACK BELL

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Atty. Gen. Bruce Bennett, yesterday leveled his big gun against the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People and its allied Legal Defense and Education Fund, Inc.

The attorney general filed suits charging that both organizations had illegally practiced law in Arkansas. He called the actions "the big gun after numerous skirmishes."

Bennett seeks permanent injunctions restraining the NAACP and its legal arm from "engaging, either directly or indirectly, in the practice of law in any respect."

The suits were the fourth and fifth brought by Bennett against the NAACP. The attorney general has said his suits and the "Bennett ordinance," which has been adopted by a number of Arkansas cities, were designed to keep the NAACP busy so it would have no time for integration suits.

His latest complaints state that the NAACP and the Legal Defense and Education Fund are corporations and thus are prohibited from practicing law.

The suit against the NAACP was filed in Pulaski Chancery court, and the one against the Legal Defense and Education Fund in Pulaski Circuit Court.

Last month in chancery court Bennett won a \$187.50 default judgment against the NAACP on grounds that it had failed to pay franchise taxes for the seven years it has operated as a corporation in Arkansas. He won the suit by default when the NAACP declined to permit him to inspect its books under court order. The Negro organization appealed.

Bennett filed two identical suits in Pulaski Circuit Court seeking \$5,000 penalty each from the NAACP and the Legal Defense Fund for failing to register with the secretary of state. Circuit Judge J. Mitchell Cockrell held a hearing on the suit against the fund and took the case under advisement. He has not set a hearing in the other case.

The NAACP is fighting the "Bennett ordinances" adopted by the cities of Little Rock and North Little Rock in both the state and federal courts. The ordinance would require the NAACP and other groups to disclose membership and financial information.

In both cases the NAACP agreed to postpone in federal court pending outcome of the cases in state courts.

But he indicated no intention of trying to force his views to other courts.

This Christmas eve was made a little more pleasant today with

President Challenges Russia to Prove Intent of Integrity to World

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Christmas in Russia Very Different

By DOROTHY ROE
AF Women's Editor

If you were a woman in Russia on Christmas Eve . . .

Your children wouldn't be home for Christmas unless they had made top grades in school.

If they were allowed to come home for a day from their state-operated dormitory, there would be no space for them to play at home and you'd have to take them to the park or a community recreation center.

If you tried to cook Christmas dinner at home, you'd have to share a community kitchen with half a dozen other families.

And besides, they don't believe in Christmas in Russia.

These are some of the points discovered by Sid Feder, who spent about a year off and on, filming the life of the Russian people for a motion picture, "This Is Russia." "I went to a fashion show in Moscow," says Feder. Afterward I asked where I could buy the dresses shown. I was told I couldn't buy the garments—only patterns to make them. And it would take a couple of months to assemble the fabrics and trimmings, if I insisted on going through with the thing.

Russian women wear shapeless clothes, high heels and heavy bobby socks. In the winter they all have to wear boots, because the mud is ankle-deep anywhere off the main boulevard.

"They know nothing of cosmetics, and when they get hold of some lipstick they smear it in grotesque fashion.

"They all de-emphasize sex. Their value is in their productivity in the labor market. If they are productive, they get certain privileges, such as perhaps being able to see their children once a month and sharing a kitchen with only three families instead of a dozen.

"It's pathetic to see parents and children together in the parks and public places. They cling together almost desperately. I realized after a while that this is because they get to see each other so seldom."

Just Merry Christmas to Everyone

By CHARLES MERCER

NEW YORK (UPI)—It being Christmas Eve, let's wish everybody a merry one—especially those whose letters remain unanswered.

In general, the unanswered mail falls into two categories: those who agree with what they read here about television and radio, and those who disagree. Since a majority of those who disagree write anonymously, I can't very well reply. That takes care of them.

To those who signed their letters in the past year, whether they liked or disliked, agreed or disagreed with what they read here, I now reply: thanks for writing. And that takes care of them. (Never as a correspondence file cleaned out so quickly.)

King words are always flattering. But unkind words are sometimes more entertaining. In the long run, a swift kick is less painful than a perpetually swelled hand.

So every time I receive a letter addressed to "Charles Mercer, TV Critic," I prepare to enjoy a belated therapy.

The salutation on a critical letter to an alleged critic usually sets its tone. "Dear sir" is rare these days. In the past few months there has developed quiet an irritation, fed in the way of a salutation. It is simply "Down boy!"

I especially commend the style developed by a couple of anonymous correspondents, who began "Dear Charles" and went on in plainer cold and logical style to demonstrate what an cat I was in my opinions about television. This is pretty effective. It's the way my eighth grade teacher used to reduce me to a sense of total idiocy.

The most widespread questioning of my critical prowess in the past year followed by naming of me "The Piper of Hamelin." There were many excellent letters, not all of them anonymous. One articulate letter, signed by a lady, said that 300 Los Angeles schoolchildren thought "I was all wet as a television reviewer."

Now what do you say to a thing like that—especially on Christmas Eve?

Just a merry Christmas to every one of those 300 kids—and to every body else, anonymous or signed, agreeing or disagreeing.

Blubber Bowl of West Memphis

WEST MEMPHIS, Ark. (UPI)—The annual Blubber Bowl will be played here Friday night.

Opponents are the West Memphis and Osceola junior chambers of commerce.

The night the West Memphis players will be compared to the Cleveland Browns would be Memphis Coach Leon Underwood.

However, he added with an air of chagrin, "There isn't anything else they should be compared to."

He didn't know for what.

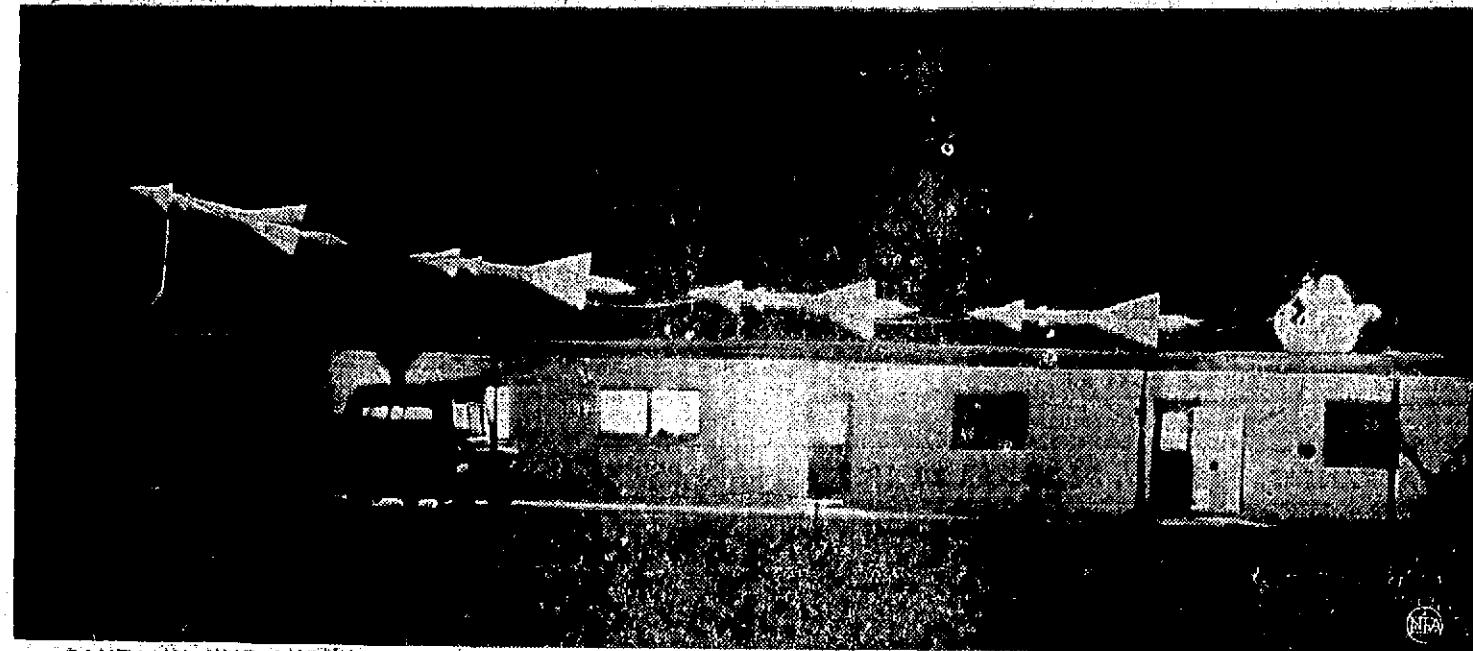
Don't Know What Payment Was for

JONESBORO, Ark. (UPI)—Mrs. Mattie Cooper of Jonesboro today received a letter containing a five dollar bill which an anonymous writer said was in repayment of something I helped steal from you many years ago."

The letter concluded, "Please forgive me."

Mrs. Cooper said she had no idea what the thief was. She said the writer was forgive even if she didn't know for what.

Hugo Howell followed by Gus,



SANTA IN THE MISSILE AGE—Army crewmen at the Bratenahl Nike site in suburban Cleveland have erected this missile-age version of Santa's transportation stop one of the

barracks. Night view, which greets motorists on busily traveled Memorial Shoreway, shows a team of four Nikes pulling the traditional sleigh and occupant.

TV Western Heroes From Everywhere

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD (UPI)—They're getting TV Western heroes from all over. Here's one who used to be a painter in Paris.

He's Adam Kennedy, the tall, blond hero of "The Californians." You'd never guess from the way he handles a gun on the Tuesday night show that he once pursued an art career in gay Paree. He might be there yet if he had caught what he was pursuing.

Adam was an Indiana boy who decided he would do what he wanted most when he got out of the Army. Be an artist. And what better place than Paris.

"I was doing quite well, too," he recalled. "I had a one-man show and got very good notices. But I discovered a hard fact:

That critical success and monetary reward do not necessarily go hand-in-hand."

Being 6 foot 3 with a hearty appetite, he had to seek some other means of earning a living. Friends convinced him he could get jobs from European film makers, who were seeking young American types. So he gave it a try and did quite well, working for French and Swedish companies as well as in the Kirk Douglas film, "Act of Love."

He returned to the U.S. and had feeling guilty that things had come so easily. He enrolled at the Neighborhood Playhouse to see if what he was doing was right. It was, and he picked up more technique.

While he was in Hollywood for a "Crossroads" show, he had an interview with the makers of the proposed "Californians." They liked his looks and manners and he signed for the series.

Though he has to let his locks grow for the period Western, Adam is no lonesome. He tried out for the part with a crew-cut. And when in Paris he refused to sport a beard.

"Yes," shortly.

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He nodded. "I've been waiting for you to arrive before I released him. And I've warned him that recurrence of his outbursts will result in a stiff fine and a jail sentence."

Has art suffered with his TV success?

I haven't been able to paint because I don't have the time," he said. "Besides, I determined that I would stick to one line of work and devote all my energies to it. But just to keep my hand in, I have designed 50 greeting cards of the modern type which my own company will distribute."

Union to Establish Own Newspaper

ST. PAUL, Minn. (UPI)—Striking members of the American Newspaper Guild today laid plans to start publishing a daily except Monday tabloid newspaper Dec. 29.

Meanwhile, the St. Paul unit of the Twin Cities Guild planned to meet with management and a state labor mediator in efforts to resolve the walkout.

Strikers announced plans to publish the tabloid Saturday when William Farson, ANG executive international vice president, said he expected the walkout to continue at least 13 weeks.

The St. Paul Pioneer Press and Dispatch were closed last week when mailers in a dispute over wages and hours called a strike. Typographers and Guild members followed them off the job.

The strike newspaper will carry up to 10 pages of local news and advertising. The Guild announced Newsmen and advertising personnel will carry out their regular jobs.



CAPITOL DONS CHRISTMAS DRESS—Washington's first measurable snowfall of the season—more than eight inches—created this picturesque scene at the Capitol. Adding to the picture post card effect are sight-seers Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Lithgow of Philadelphia.

HAND-PICKED for MURDER

By Robert Martin

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CHAPTER XXXI

In the hotel dining room I had breakfast and smoked the first cigarette of the day as I drove to the Lakeport police station, arriving there at a quarter of nine.

Chief Campbell was waxy pale and his black eyes seemed sunk in their sockets. The left side of his lean jaw was faintly swollen. "Good morning, Chief," I said, and nodded at his jaw. "Toothache?"

He touched his jaw and said, "Yes," shortly.

"Better see a dentist. Is Howell able to rise and shine?"

He nodded. "I've been waiting for you to arrive before I released him. And I've warned him that recurrence of his outbursts will result in a stiff fine and a jail sentence."

"Fair enough. I've appreciated your cooperation."

I smiled thinly. "Let's say it's for old time's sake. Be sure and tell your boss."

"He'll appreciate it, too," I said and added, "I suppose the sheriff has given you the details of what happened last night at Mariana Beach?"

"Yes. Sam called me." He fixed me with a cold stare. "And I've talked with my daughter, Bennett. She went out there innocently."

"Even though she knew that Wayne was married?" I asked. "Even though she knew that Wayne was gone and that his wife was at the cottage alone?"

"His lean jaw hardened. "Bennett, is there anything wrong with a man saying goodbye to a woman and returning something she had borrowed, even if he is married?"

"Not a thing, Chief. Forget it. Did you tell Howell what happened last night?"

He shook his head. "I didn't tell him anything."

I said, "The sheriff had a man watching young Howell last night."

"You're overdriven right now," he stopped abruptly.

"Never mind how I know. When I take a job I make it my business to know a lot of things. I've got to. And there's something else last night Sandra—the woman Wayne married—was killed. Murdered with an ice pick."

"It wasn't just that," he said. "Shut up," I snapped. "It was just the money and you know it. Now maybe you can pay me."

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"You were in jail," I said coldly.

"Remember? And Wayne had to

come through the door from the cells. He seemed sober, and didn't look bad at all. Of course, he needed a shave and the green sport shirt he was wearing was wrinkled and his white trousers were smeared with dirt. "Bennet," he said heavily, "I think I'll go on the wagon."

"That's a good idea," I looked at Gus. "Okay for us to go?"

"You heard what the chief said," Gus patted Howell's shoulder. "Now, listen, Pop, take it easy. Hear?"

"Don't worry, son," Howell said. "I won't cause you no more trouble."

He squinted his little red eyes. "You mad at me, Bennett?"

"No," I said shortly.

He waved a hand and stepped back. I drove away slowly and watched him enter the Harbor House. A number of things bothered me, including Chief Campbell's attitude that morning. And with the thought of the chief there came another thought, like a gun flash in the night, and suddenly one thing bothered me more than anything else.

I left Lakeport behind and headed for Mariana Beach, but before I reached it I turned into the narrow road leading down to the lake's edge, to the spot where Hugo Howell and I had fished the afternoon before.

Except for the birds and locusts it was very quiet. And wild, almost primeval. There were no boats on the blue-gray horizon and Perry's Monument was a far ghostly spire in the hazy sunlight. I stood on the edge of the rocky ledge and gazed downward, the white chipped spot on the rock where the bullet had struck him.

He was Hugo Howell. And I saw something else: here was more than one chipped spot. Three others were clustered within a three-inch circle. I stood by the rock, turned my back to the lake and walked slowly in a straight line toward the woods, my gaze searching the ground.

I moved slowly, examining the terrain and trees on both sides of my route. At one spot, maybe 30 yards from the clearing, I was forced to walk around a small pine which had been uprooted and was lying flat. When I was past the pine I turned and looked back. I had a clear view of the rocky ledge where Howell and I had been sitting, but the view

would have been obstructed if the pine had been standing. Once more I resumed my slow progress, watching the trees more carefully now, but not bothering with the stubby-trunked pines. I concentrated on the taller maples.

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are not to be overlooked. I

had a clear view of the

area. There were two holes, one

large and one small, and a

handful of needles pricked through my hand.

"Drop the gun, Bennett." It

was a familiar voice, rasping

thick.

Woman Stops Prisoners in Escape Try

OKLAHOMA CITY (UPI)—Mrs. Agnes Mabes, smallish 45-year-old matron at the Oklahoma County jail, balked five prisoners in their attempt to escape last night.

One of them slapped her down as she held the alarm telephone but her call had gone through. A hundred others were were on the scene in minutes and none of the five prisoners managed to get out of the courthouse building in downtown Oklahoma City.

"I warn't scared too much," said Miss Mabes. "—thought about giving the alarm first."

Sheriff Bob Turner said George Jernigan, sentenced last week to 20 years in federal prison for bank robberies at Maude and Harrah, Okla., led the break.

Sheriff Turner identified the other four as Burl Stots, 23, Luther Bringwood, 22, David Leclair, 22, and Bob Lewis, 27, who were being held for trial on various charges ranging from car theft to burglary.

The five overpowered a jailer on the eighth floor as he was changing

SOCIETY

Phone 7-3431 Between 8 A. M. and 4 P. M.

Calendar

Thursday, December 26
The Rev. and Mrs. Otis Seal of Meridian, Miss., will be hosts for Williams - Davis Rehearsal dinner at the Barlow Hotel Thursday evening at 6:30.

Friday, December 27
Hostess for the Spinster Breakfast at the Barlow Hotel Friday morning at 9 o'clock is Miss Jacqueline Williams of Odessa, Texas.

Mr. Victor Kenneth Davis, Sr. of Baytown, Texas will be host for the Williams - Davis Bachelor Breakfast Friday morning at 9 o'clock in the Rettig Dining room.

Williams - Davis wedding at the First Baptist Church, Friday, Dec. 27 at 8 o'clock in the evening.

Wedding Reception following the Williams - Davis wedding at the Barlow Hotel. Host and hostess are Mr. and Mrs. William Alton Williams.

Saturday, Dec. 28
Senior-High and College formal dance will be Saturday, Dec. 28 at the Country Club beginning at 8:30 p.m.

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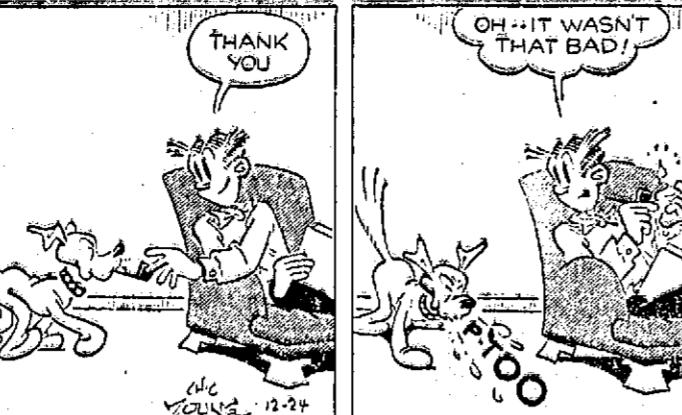
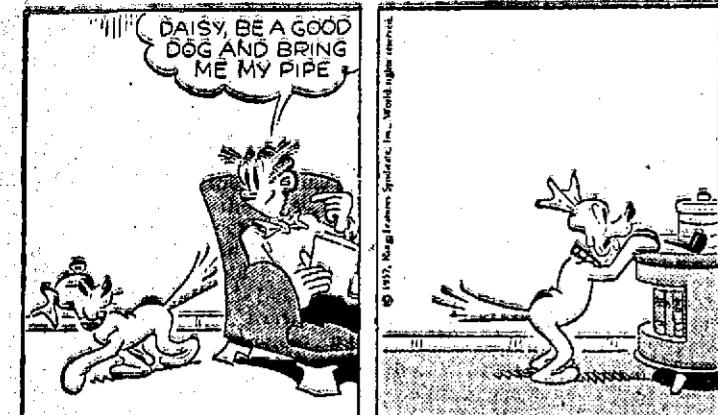
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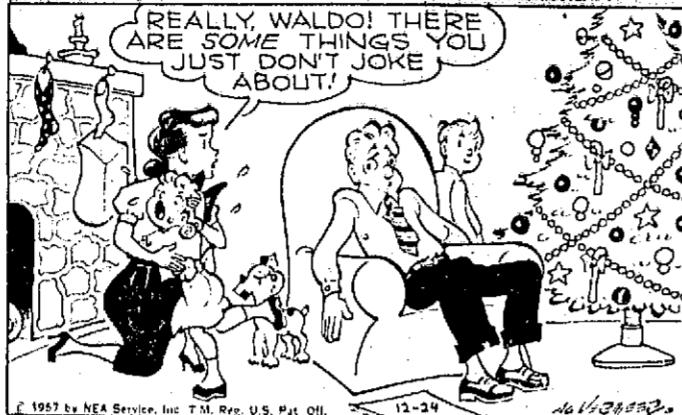
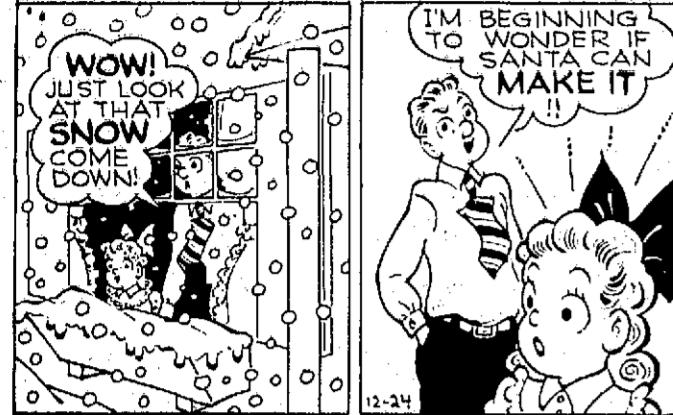
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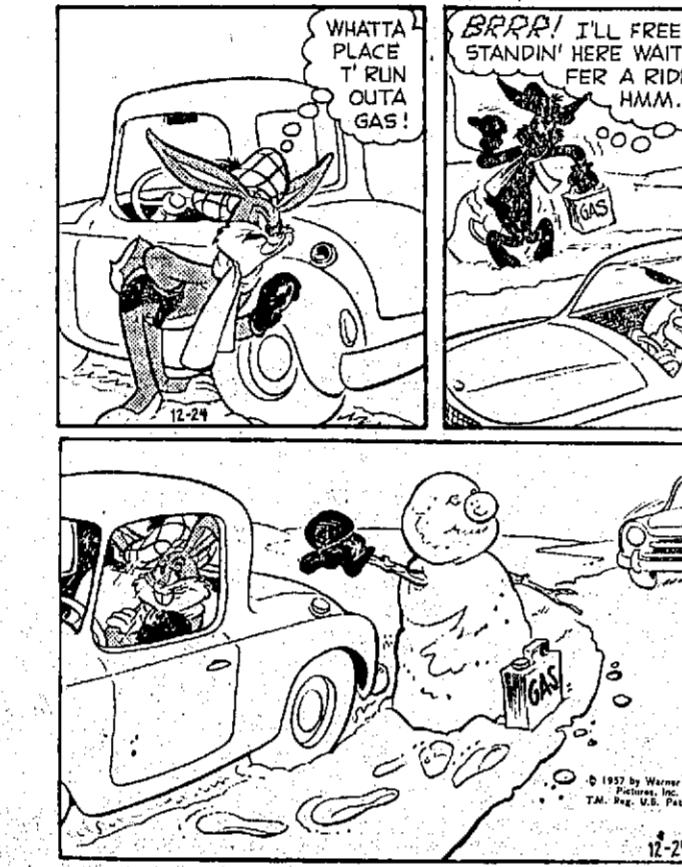
By Chick Young

PRISCILLA'S POP



By Al Vermeer

SIDE GLANCES



By Galbreath

"I'm pretty suspicious, Mom! All Dad's been talking about is how tickled he used to be as a kid when he got clothes for Christmas!"

CARNIVAL



By Dick Turner

"Frankly it's not exactly what I had in mind—I don't know where in the world I'd find that big a bottle!"

OUT OUR WAY



By J. R. Williams

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

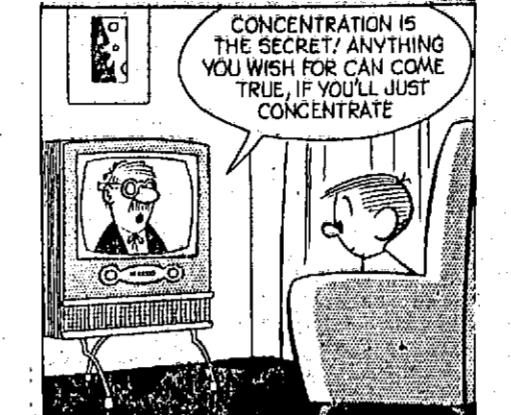


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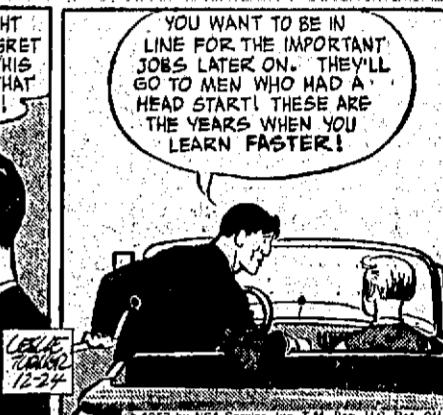
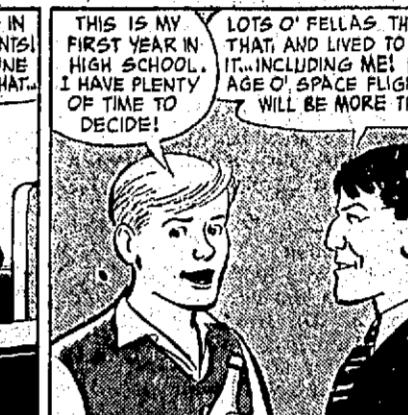


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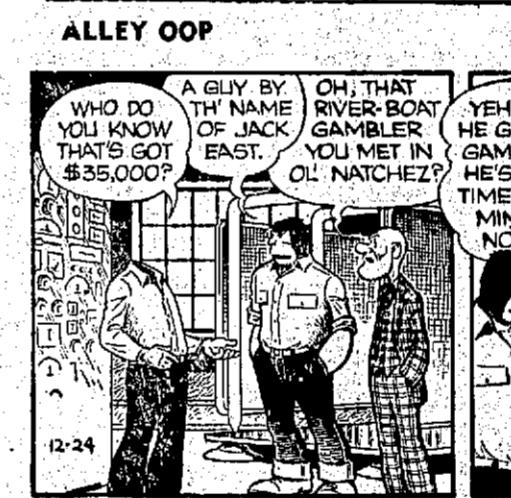


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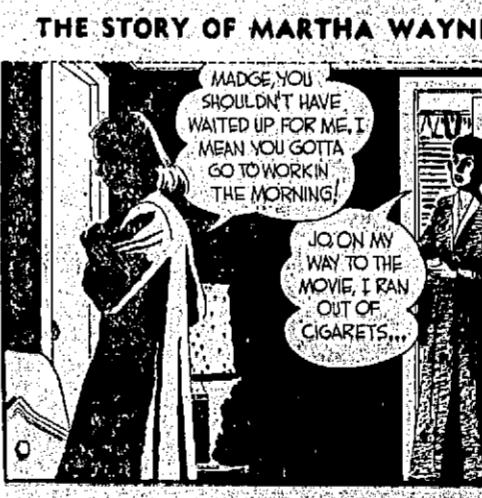
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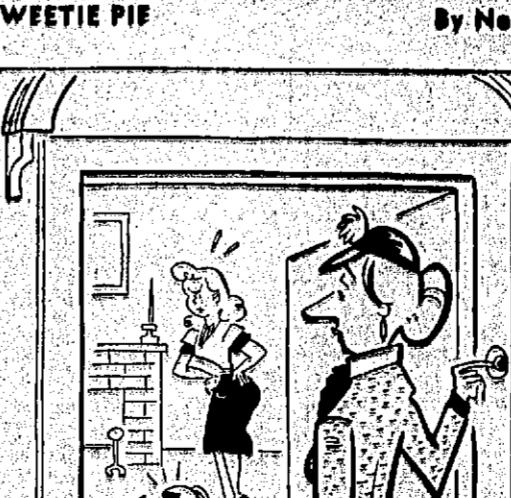
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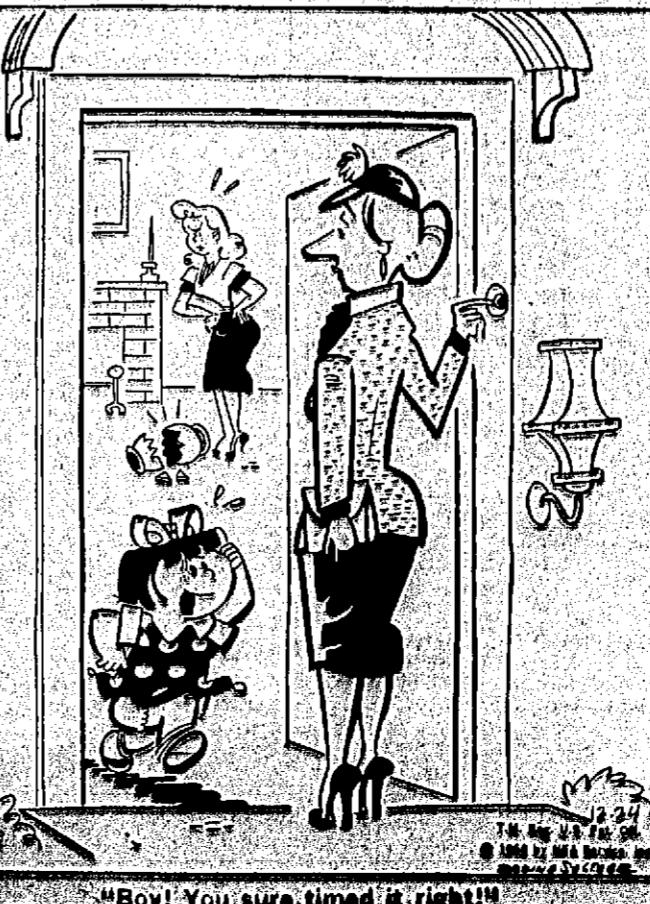
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TIZZY

By Kate O'Conn





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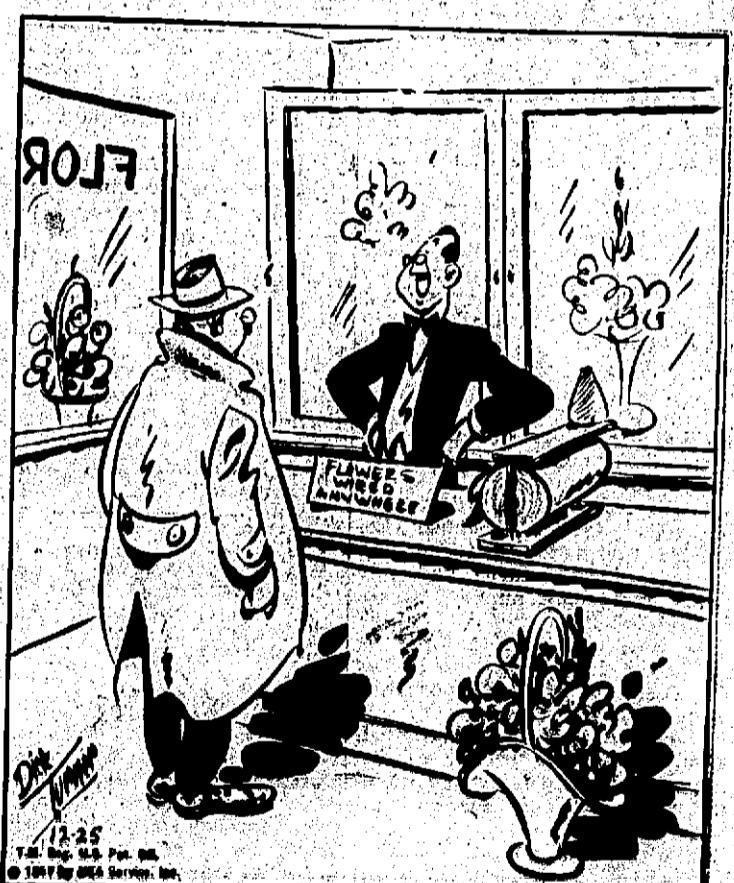
By Galbreath



"I'm just out for a walk too, Jim, delivering a gift for my wife—also thought maybe her husband would like to buy our new accident policy!"

CARNIVAL

By Dick Turner



"Now then, perhaps I can help you, sir—just exactly what is it you've done?"

OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. Williams



"Why, I never get gray hair!"

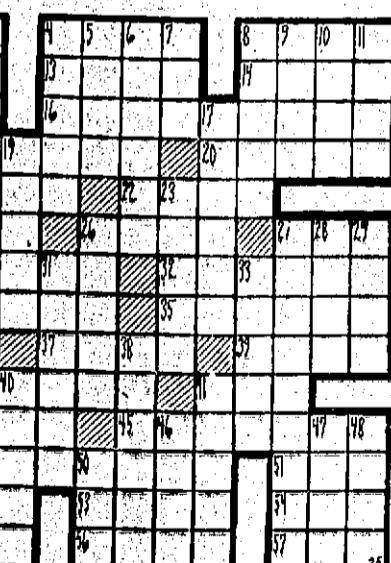
Grocery List

ACROSS

- 1 Corn on the cob
- 2 Precious stone
- 3 Neophytes
- 4 Baseball round-tripper
- 5 Wing-shaped
- 6 Frights
- 7 Pork source
- 8 Evils
- 9 Pitcher
- 10 Comfort
- 11 Cereal grains
- 12 Roundabout way
- 13 Bacon cutters
- 14 French mothers
- 15 Correlative of neither
- 16 Reeds
- 17 Wheat beards
- 18 On the water
- 19 For
- 20 Rhymed
- 21 Assented
- 22 Way
- 23 Approached
- 24 Moines, Iowa
- 25 Plants
- 26 Covers
- 27 Drill
- 28 Jewel
- 29 Satellite of Uranus
- 30 Entertainers
- 31 Mixed jam
- 32 Gratuity
- 33 Feminine suffix
- 34 Warmth
- 35 Mariner's direction
- 36 Underground part
- 37 Tomato color

DOWN

- 1 Vehicles
- 2 Precious stone
- 3 Neophytes
- 4 Baseball round-tripper
- 5 Wing-shaped
- 6 Frights
- 7 Pork source
- 8 Evils
- 9 Pitcher
- 10 Comfort
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Answer to Previous Puzzle

| | |
|---------|-----------|
| BUBBLES | LIGHTS |
| ORIELS | LEASE |
| HOSTS | ATTIC |
| GERA | FLUTTERED |
| PREPARE | GEROME |
| DEARS | APERTURE |
| VERSES | PREPARED |
| SEASIDE | DEARS |
| GEM | VERSES |
| PIRATES | SEASIDE |
| SPARCE | GEM |
| ESCAPE | PIRATES |
| PIGEON | SPARCE |
| SAVIOUR | ESCAPE |
| RESCUE | PIGEON |
| WIND | SAVIOUR |
| TOUGH | RESCUE |

| | |
|-------------------|-------------------------------|
| 25 Had on | 41 Wind blasts |
| 26 Performer | 42 Maple genus |
| 27 Outer | 43 Turning (prefix) |
| 28 Jointed grass | 44 Preposition |
| 29 Advantages | 46 Veal or lamb, for instance |
| 30 Roundabout way | 47 Ascend |
| 31 Shoe port | 48 Hastened |
| 32 Chest rattles | 49 Greek letter. |
| 33 Cloth maker | 50 |
| 34 Lime | |
| 35 Imitated | |
| 36 Assail | |

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

With Major Hooper



"Okay, bring out the surprise you have hidden in the upstairs closet!"

OZARK IKE

12-25

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|----------|------|-------|-------|-------|
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| 16 to 20 | .60 | 1.20 | 2.00 | 6.00 |
| 21 to 25 | .75 | 1.50 | 2.50 | 7.50 |
| 26 to 30 | .90 | 1.80 | 3.00 | 9.00 |
| 31 to 35 | 1.05 | 2.10 | 3.50 | 10.50 |
| 36 to 40 | 1.20 | 2.40 | 4.00 | 12.00 |
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For Your Holiday Cakes,
Pies, Cookies
Go By

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7 Transistor Pocket
RADIO 47.95
with caseOpen until 7 p.m. on
Saturdays during December.
MONTGOMERY WARDFOR SALE — Christmas Gifts
Jewelry, Watches, Leather
Purses, Electric Shavers,
Toys, Small Items, etc., at
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Lay-Away Plan.CIRCLE Y CAFE
 Hwy 67 WestPOWER SAW WORK
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mechanic on duty all time. All
work guaranteed. New Poulan
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FRESH DONUTS DAILY

Shop MHOON'S For Your
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110 S. Main St. PR 7-3151Local Moving and
Hauling ... Also
Packing and CratingAgent for MAYFLOWER
Long Distance MoversHope Transfer Co.
418 East Division
PR 7-3151

For Sale

LATO Aluminum Window Screens
and doors. FREE estimate. Call
Andy Andrews 7-5867.STOP Drafty Doors and Windows
with WEATHER STRIPPING in-
stalled by Andy Andrews. Phone
7-5867.1 REGISTERED Guernsey Bull,
foremost breeding. 3 years old.
See David McKee.DECEMBER 23 and 24 only. Good
Bermuda Hay, grown on limed
and well fertilized land. Heavy
bales, 80c per bale at Farm on
Sandy Bois'd Arc Creek, Hope
and Columbus Road, 1 1/2 miles
west of Cross Roads Store. Lester
Gordon.ONE 20 inch boy's and one 24
inch girl's bicycle. Good con-
dition. Call 7-2301.

Services Offered

LET us renovate your old mat-
tress. We specialize in pressur-
ized innersprings.COBB MATTRESS SHOP
712 West 4th, Phone 7-2623

28-12

RALPH Montgomery Market, cus-
tom slaughtering. We have meat
for your deep freeze. See us be-
fore buying.

17-12

WILL keep children in my home.
Mrs. J. Pheis, 823 West 5th.

27-11

HARMONS Refrigerator Service,
Refrigerators, Air Conditioners,
Washing Machines, Heating Sys-
tems. West Avenue B. Phone
7-3286.(CONTRACTING)
General Construction, Concrete
foundation, Sidewalks, Porches,
Steps, Remodeling and new ad-
ditions. Free estimate. W. T.
Spradling. Phone 7-3072.

10-30-1mo

UP-HOLSTERY work. Materials
Available. See Mrs. J. W. God-
win, 504 S. Walker, Phone 7-4414.

27-11

PASTURE Clipping, Stalk Cutting,
Brush Clearing. Contact Mike
Snyder at Snyder Hotel.

12-3-1mo

CERAMIC STUDIO
Lessons in Ceramic and Arts. Bea-
utiful original gift items for sale.
Mrs. W. T. Spradling. Phone 7-
3072.

12-4-1mo

MOVING? Long Distance Call Col-
lect 592. Free Estimates, Lower
Rates.

PRESCOTT TRANSFER

&
STORAGE CO.

PRESCOTT, ARKANSAS

15-12

PART Scottie Puppies to give
away. Phone 7-5510.

24-11c

HEAVY equipment. Dozers, Scraps-
ers, Dragline, Crane, Land Clearing,
Ponds, Lakes, Levees. General
Construction. Phone PR 7-
3588. J. O. Luck, Route 1, Wash-
ington.

12-13-1 Mo.

SEWING Machine Repair any
make or model. Call J. D. Wat-
terson, phone 7-4414.

18-6p

FOR Custom Slaughtering and
Processing Meat. Call Jessie
Morris, 7-3578 or 7-2701. 18-1mo

18-1 Mo.

For Rent

NICELY furnished 4 room, and
bath garage apartment, with
garage and 2 large closets. Call
7-3497.

13-12

UNFURNISHED 3 room apart-
ment. Bills paid. 808 West 4th.
Dt. 7-2247.

17-6c

NICELY furnished 4 room apart-
ment. Adults only. No drinking.
801 East 3rd, Phone 7-3369.

17-1f

FOUR room apartment with closet
and bath room, and porch. Hard-
wood floors, built-in cabinets,
shady yards and garden space.
Located at 703 South Wash-
ington St. \$30.00 per month. Con-
tract J. B. Goodwin, Rt. 3, Ross-
ton, Ark.

23-6p

Lost

BLACK billfold, contains Social
Security Card, Drivers' License,
other papers. Return to Pat Yar-
berry, or call 7-4309.

23-3p

CROWN WESTERN SHARES
of Diversified Income Fund
Prospectus available from

M. S. BATES

AGENT

Hope, Ark. Phone 4464

WATER WELLS

Jacuzzi & Universal
Pumps and Parts

V. L. SHIRLEY

Rt. 10, Box 903, Pho. 325993
Texarkana, TexasThe Negro
Community

Esther Hicks

Phone 7-4478 or 7-4474

Thought for the day

Humility is to have a right esti-
mate of one's self — not to think
less of himself than he ought. The
higher a man is in grace, the lower
he will be in his own esteem —

Spurgeon said it.

Calendar of Events

Christmas Community Meeting

On Dec. 28-31, 1957 the following

churches will sponsor a Christmas

Community Meeting: Mt. Pleasant

CME, Turner Chapel, Haynes Chan-
nel and New Bethel Baptist Chu-
rches. The public is invited to at-
tend. The nightly order of service

will be announced in this column.

Altar Guild Club Holds

Christmas Party

The Altar Guild Club of BeBe

Memorial CME Church held its

annual Christmas party at the

home of Mrs. Persie Turner on

Saturday night, Dec. 21.

The home was beautifully de-
corated in the Christmas motif.

The group sang Christmas carols

after which they retired to the din-
ing room for a delicious turkey

dinner.

Those attending and exchanging

gifts were Mr. and Mrs. C. G.

Carmichael, Mrs. J. W. McWash-
ington, W. M. Muldrew, Mrs. Mable

Williamson, Miss Geneva McGhee,

Mrs. Carrie McGhee, Mrs. Reece

Cannon, Mr. and Mrs. James Hall

and Novice a teacher at Molen High

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hamilton, Mrs. School, Murfreesboro, Ark.

Coming and Going

Mrs. Parthena Bowles of McNab

left for Los Angeles, Calif. on

Dec. 21, where she will spend the

holidays with her children, Willie

C. and Cester Bowles and Mr. and

Mrs. John Pero.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. McCollum

of Peoria, Ill. are the holiday

guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Willis McCollum.

Misses Joyce and Novice Wil-

liamson and King